## CONVICTS DROWN IN ESCAPING, BONAI WAS AFTER



Blackwell's Island Prisoners Taking "French Leave" by the River.

HREE workhouse prisoners made a Blackwell's Island yesterday morning and as a result probably two of them Electricity the Motive Power and Eight were drowned. Only one of them was saved. He had been swept nearly a mile down the river by the swift current.

shree weeks had been engaged as boatmen on the island laqued Wickham. They were James Walsh, of No. 13 Washington street, whose term of 160 days would have expired on October 12; James Jones, of Eighty-eighth street and First avenue, whose term of eighty days would expire on November 18, and Pat Duffy, whose term of six months would have expired November 16. Walsh is the only one of the three who has been captured thus far. Jones is believed to have been drowned, and no trace of Duffy has been found. Walsh believes that he, too, sank in the East River.

duced Just two-thirds of a day. That is, where it now requires twenty-four hours for the trip, only eight will be necessary. A charter was given to the company by the Hilling's Legislature in June, 1895. It was capitalized at \$200,000,000. Lysander Hill, of Chicago, a patent attorney, of Chicago, is its president.

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An unknown man, about twenty-eight years old, five feet seven inches in height, of light complexion, hair and mustache and weighing 170 pounds, was drowned in the North River, at the foot of West Thirty-eighth street, yesterday morning. The man had been asleep on the string-plece of the pier, and while geleep rolled off into the water. Several other persons who were on the dock at the time heard the spinsh and succeeded in fishing the man out. An ambulance was sent for, but the surgeon in charge pronounced him dead.

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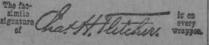
desperate attempt to escape from "L" ROAD TO CHICAGO, question as to the liabilities of the bonds-Hours the Running Time.

more than \$100,000,000 fifty-year five per The Wickham with the three prisoners cent gold bonds to construct the road. It on board left the dook at the foot of East sets forth that the company is engaged in

Business Notices.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.



He Confesses to the Killing of Marcus Nichols to His Young Wife.

NICHOLS HAD A REVOLVER.

Had He Not Threatened to Use It the Connecticut Farmer Would Be Alive To-day.

Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 12.—That Charles Bonai and David Weeks are the murderers of aged Marcus Nichols, of Nichols Farms there is no longer any doubt, for during the early hours of July 21, following the comnission of the awful crime, Bonai tremblingly confessed to his young wife that with her brother, Dave Weeks, he had shot old man Nichols. This fact became known interested in the news of to-day for the first time.

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The Journal has told the story of the crime in detail, so it is unnecessary to rehearse its ghastly features. That morning, a few hours after the terrible crime, Bonal wet and sullen, crept into bis room, where his faithful helpmate was anxiously awaiting him. She was uneasy, and wrung the confession from him. When the family had retired Bonay said in a whisper:

"Maggle, I have something I must tell you." Then, step by step, act by act, he told her of the terrible murder he and her brother. David Weeks, had committed. He told her why Marcus Nichols was shot, and said that Marcus had a pistol and would have shot him had he not shot first. The pistol, he said, would be found under the sofa, where it was kicked after the shooting. The pistol, if there was one, has never been found.

told his wife that John Weeks,

The prisoners were employed as "trustles" at the City Hospital on the lower and of the Island, and for the last two or between New York and Chicago will be re-

A Great Sale of



On sale this morning—a

Two Thousand Dozen

each one of them thoroughly well made and beautifully fin-

We bought them cheap—exceptionally cheap—from one of the HANDKERCHIEFS special lot of fine Linen Handkerlargest and best makers in the chiefs are not much more than half country, who had too large a stock on hand, and we're going to sell that chance brought our way.

them, beginning with this morning,

At 15c, regular 25c at prices lower even than those quoted at our annual sale last January. The following are only a few of the many extraordinary bargains

79c., 89c. and 98c

V front and back, edged with embroidery, worth 20c., Boots,

FIFTY DOZEN CAMBRIC CORSET COVERS,

These goods are for sale on both main and unite in them. second floor, Tenth Street. second floors.

SIXTH AVENUE, 20TH TO 21ST STREET.

"The garrison of Victoria de las Tunas consisted of 350 men, of whom 135 were sick in the hospital. The place capitulated after an heroic defence. The com-mandant, with three officers and seventyfive men, marched out, taking with them the sick and wounded. "The insurgents fired cannon at the hos-oital, although the flag of the Red Cross un

FIND GLORY IN DEFEAT, Society was holsted over it at the time.

Many of the wounded perished in the debriance of the street of t

Manly Defence at Victoria de las Tunas.

Madrid, Sept. 12.—The official dispatch from Hayana givine details of the loss of Victoria de las Tunas says:

"The garrison of Victoria de las Tunas says:

Killed."

These figures agree with those already furnished and sent out Saturday night. It was then stated that the remainder of the troops of the garrison, who had previously hald down their arms, had been sent, it was believed, to Puerto Principe.

According to the official desputch, the control of the troops of the garrison of Victoria de las Tunas says:

"The garrison of Victoria de las Tunas says:

Rev. Canon Eyton, Canon Farrar's success rector of St. Andrew's, Harlem, and char St. Margaret's, Westminster, this morni His text was "Be Still, and Know That I Am God." A large congregation, inc

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## AND CALENDAR MEET, INTEREST IN OUR STORE NEWS WILL INCREASE

On Saturday Farmer Dunn said that Old Probabilities would give cooler weather to New York by to-day. If the promise is kept, you will be especially

The great operation in Humber Bicycles.

The increasing variety and richness of our Autumn Dress Goods and

The special offerings in Bedroom Furniture. The bargains in Housekeeping Linens.

You will want to bear in mind that the first view of our Autumn Mill' will occur on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

NOVELTY First look DRESS GOODS at these rich Dress Stuffs ica—all are represented in this is often the last. Many of assembly of Upholstery stuffs.

| NOVELTY | Europe, the Carrow A collection of Lamps in the centre ART LAMPS aisle, Broadway front, to-day that will be a collection of Lamps in the centre LAMPS aisle, Broadway front, to-day that will be a collection of Lamps in the centre LAMPS are to-day that will be a collection of Lamps in the centre LAMPS are to-day that will be a collection of Lamps in the centre LAMPS are to-day that will be a collection of LAMPS. them barely touch here before It is unrivaled in its complete- please lovers of things beauthey are grabbed up. Every ness. incoming European steamer brings new lots to take their stocks as fast as the cases can be opened. Very artistic—both in decoraplaces.

Only enough of some for one or two dress patterns. An exclusiveness that pleases of a few of them follows.

A story attached to them—we'll skip it. The sequel is now screens is at its best. News of a few of them follows.

Prices are about fashionable women.

to-day's arrivals:

Bayadere Plisse Velour, \$5
Brocade Bayadere figured Velour, \$3.50
Silk and wool plaid Natte, \$3.50
Velour cord Melange, \$2.50
Fancy Velour Cords, \$3.50
Matelasse in black figures on colored

grounds, \$3.50 Brocade Velours, \$3.50 Beaded Velours. \$3.50

MODEST PRICED FABRICS All were selected just as carefully flowers. as the most expensive Novelties.

Dress Goods making have there been so many beautiful designs in popu- tions. Very rich.

83.75 a yard, Four color combina- and marked them for a quick farewell. They will be sold at lar-priced stuffs.

sortments emphasize the leadership of this Dress Goods Store. Future stocks will cost us more than you styles at \$1.50 a yard.

Wery handsome Tapestries, all wool, globes. \$1.50, \$3, \$3.25 and \$3.50. Two styles at \$1.50 a yard; three styles at \$11.50 a yard.

Decorated Banquet Lamps, complete with globes. \$1.50, \$3, \$3.25 and \$3.50. Two styles at \$11.50 a yard. are asked to pay for these. Here's a short list:

At 371c Fancy check Cheviot Fancy mixed Cheviot At 50c

Silk mixed pin head Cheviot that masquerade Lustre figured Cheviots, in combinations ceive the unwary.

of black with colors Fancy polka dot diagonal Cheviot Heather mixed Cheviots Mohair fancy figured Armure Bourette check Cheviot Camel's Hair Cheviot Silk mixed stripe Cheviot Two-toned diagonal Cheviot Two-toned Armure Figured Velour Cords Pin dot hair line stripe Suiting Fourth avenue.

regular. A large number of samples,

At 15c, regular 25c At 18c, regular 25c and 30c At 25c, regular 35c and 40c At 35c, regular 50c and more A big variety of styles. Dainty, sheer Linen Handkerchiefs, hem-stitched, handsomely embroidered One maker of Huckab

and scalloped. Some edged with lace. who is pre-eminent. His reputation OAK DRESSING BUREAU, \$12.50 29c but are rapidly melting away.

WOMEN'S
SHOES

As the plain truth concerning Wanamaker's
Shoes spreads, the busi-Shoes spreads, the business grows. Our Shoe business is founded on principle—the right prindecided to turn over our then prospective tariff. He decided to turn over small drawers in base (2 top drawers in base (2 top drawers) ciple. No secrets about it. We exclude decided to turn over

AT \$1.90 year welted and stitched soles of oak tanned leather. Honest, stylish Shoes, regularly \$3 elsewhere.

Another line of Women's Kidskin Boots

AT \$2.20

Part with them at prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, 23 x 45 in. 25c each—Havy well made Huck Towels, 25c each—Havy well made Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not present worth. 20c each—Large size grass bleached Huck Towels, and prices based on their cost to us, and not prese

AT \$2.20 They were recently counted bargains

at much higher prices. The best leathers and perfect shoemaking

880 pairs of Irish point lace Curtains are ready to-day. White and The finer things are made on ivory. Some of the renaissance pat- cludes Banquet and Table hand looms, which necessarily terms are exceedingly attractive. Prices Lamps. limits the quantity of each. range from \$3.50 to \$20.

A sto

A very striking reproduction of an Just a word concerning some of ancient Tapestry, in cotton. Two different color combinations. View it Novelty Plisse, in black with colored silk from an artistic standpoint, and you'll plaits, \$5.50 be surprised to learn that it is only \$2

Another cotton Tapestry, in two colorings, floral designs, at \$2.75. Silk faced Tapestry, four colorings, at \$3.25. Very effective floral designs. A reproduction of a rich old gobelin, in wool, at \$9 a yard. The de-

Representations of fine old Mo-The little prices and immense as- quettes in three styles, at \$3.75 a yard,

> They are interesting, even if you reduced from \$2 and \$3. don't want to buy them. Take this Banquet Lamps, with real onyx for an invitation to look them over. columns, lift-out oil tanks. Only

LINENS in this stock for the shams that masquerade as Linens and de-

We own present stocks under most favorable conditions. Our present Decorated Globes for Banquet wholesale importers to land the goods double. in America to-day.

Just a few price hints: TABLE LINENS

ask: beautiful patterns,

\$1.40 yd—Handsome German double Damask; napkins to match; \$3.75 a doz. One maker of Huckaback Towels,

Chance cheapness that is not likely in the trade is world-wide. He owes to come soon again. Lots were large, it all to the fine quality of linen yarns he uses and his method of bleaching. Quartered Oak Dressing Bureau, \$14 As the plain truth con- Thoroughly honest Towels, that must Our Linen Chief found him with

36,000 HUCKABACK TOWELS The Women's buttoned or laced prices. These towels are now here. You, nor your mothers, never knew are an illustration. Five styles of them, equal Towels at such little prices beare an illustration. Five styles of them, made over new lasts. The uppers fore. We bought them to sell, not are of chrome tanned Kidskin. Good- for speculation, and are satisfied to part with them at prices based on small drawers in base, fancy shaped

yarns; 24 x 48 in.
35c each—Beautifully bleached Huck
Towels, extra large size; 26 x 48 in. Fourth avenue.

FINE Lamps in the centre tiful. They are all hand

A story attached to them-

A THIRD LESS THAN REGULAR \$100 Lamps, now \$75 \$60 Lamps, now \$40 \$50 Lamps, now \$25 \$30 Lamps, now \$20 \$25 Lamps, now \$15 \$18 Lamps, now \$12

\$15 Lamps, now \$10 \$12 Lamps, now \$8 \$8 Lamps, now \$5 \$6 Lamps, now \$4 Of the finer Lamps, no duplicates

rign represents cherubs in bowers of Exclusive bits of elegance for some fortunate home-makers. The Heraldic designs of old are reNever before in the history of produced in a silk faced Tapestry, at of-lots from our regular Lamp stock. We have also gathered up the last-

> HALF PRICES OR LESS. Banquet Lamps, complete with

And so the story might run on. plete with shade, \$1.25 and \$1.75;

75c; reduced from \$3 \$1.50; reduced from \$4 \$2.50; reduced from \$6

retail prices are less than it costs Lamps, at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.50; were

Princess Lamps, complete with

BEDROOM Incincreasing personal larity of metal Bed-FURNITURE steads has stimulated 35c yd—Stout and serviceable 54-in. Table
Linen; the kind that wears well,

reaus

We are ready for it

Linen; the kind that wears well.

40c yd—Heavy, well woven, half-bleached
Table Linen; 60 in. wide.

50c yd—Full two-yard wide, extra
heavy, half-bleached Table Linen; one or
two washings will whiten.

75 STYLES OF BUREAUS
shown to-day. The woods are oak,
curly birch, bird's-eye maple and two washings will whiten. curly birch, bird's-eye maple and socyd-Old-fashioned Irish grass-bleached Solid mahogany; also imitation ma-Table Damask of strong, clean yarns; only 175 pieces of it, with every chance of next lot having to sell at 75c; 68 in. 80c yd—Pure bleached Scotch Damask Table Linen, 70 in. wide.

\$1 yd—72-in. bleached Irish double Damask beautiful natterns.

Fancy shaped top 32x16 in., 3 large draw-ers, fancy shaped mirror, 16x20 in. OAK DRESSING BUREAU, \$10.75 Fancy shaped top 20x40 in., 3 large drawers, bevelled plate mirror, 22x28 in.

Fancy shaped top 20x42 in., 2 large and 2 small drawers in base, bevelled plate mirror, 24x30 in., carved top. Fancy shaped top 20x45 in., 2 large and 2 small drawers in base (top drawers

swell front), bevelled plate mirror, 24x

swell front). French bevelled plate mirtrash from the stock and offer worthy
Shoes only at lowest possible prices.

These toward are now hard.

These toward are now hard. Fancy shaped top 22x48 in., 2 large and 2 small drawers in base, serpentine front, oval French beveiled plate mirror, 24x

fancy shaped French bevelled plate mirfringed ends; 24 x 46 in.

30c each—Very fine, handsome bleached Huck Towels; made of the very best fancy shaped top 22x47 in., 2 large and 2 fancy shaped top 2 fanc Fancy shaped top 22x47 in., 2 large and 2 small drawers in base, full swell front,

oval French bevelled plate mirror, 30

JOHN WANAMAKER

Formerly A. T. Stewart & Co., Broadway, 4th ave., 9th and 10th sts.